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1. SPANISH PRESS HAS REPORTED COMMUNIST LEADER OF SPANISH

WORKERS COMMISSIONS (SWC), MARCELINO CAMACHO, ARRIVED BACK IN MADRID MARCH 1, AFTER HAVING MADE A THREE-WEEK TOUR TO ENGLAND, BELGIUM, FRANCE AND ITALY.

2. IN STATEMENT TO NEWSMEN FOLLOWING HIS ARRIVAL AT MADRID AIRPORT, CAMACHO SAID HE HAD GONE TO LONDON, BRUSSELS, PARIS, ROME, TURIN, PISA, AND BOLOGNA. CAMACHO SAID IN LONDON HE HAD OFFICIAL CONTACTS WITH TUC, WITH CABINET MINISTERS, AND WITH VARIOUS BRITISH PARLIAMENTARIANS (COMMENT - CAMACHO'S PRINCIPAL PURPOSE IN VISITING LONDON WAS TO ATTEND FEB 14 CONFERENCE ON SPAIN, SPONSORED BY VARIOUS TCU AND OTHER BRITISH PERSONALITIES, TO WHICH HE HAD BEEN INVITED AS STAR ATTRACTION); THAT IN BELGIUM HE HAD BEEN RECEIVED BY EEC COMMISSIONER SPINELLI AND HAD HAD CONTACTS WITH ETUC (SEE EC BRUSSELS 2181 FOR REPORT ON CAMACHO'S MEETING WITH JEAN KULAKOWSKI OF ETUC) AS WELL AS WITH CERTAIN INDIVIDUAL BELGIAN UNIONS; THAT IN FRANCE HE HAD BEEN RECEIVED BY FRENCH UNIONS, HAD GIVEN A TALK AT THE SORBONNE, AND HAD HELD A CEREMONY OF PRESENTATION OF A BOOK HE HAS AUTHORED INTITLED "CONVERSATIONS IN PRISON", AND THAT IN ITALY HE HAD ASSISTED, INTER ALIA, ALONG WITH REPS FROM BROAD RANGE OF 15 SPANISH OPPOSITION GROUPS, AT FEB 24-26 CONFERENCE ON SPAIN ORGANIZED BY ITALIAN-SPANISH SOLIDARITY COMMITTEE.

3. COMMENT: CAMACHO'S RETURN TO SPAIN AT THIS TIME REPORTEDLY DOES NOT CHANGE HIS ANNOUNCED PLANS(SEE REFS) TO VISIT MEXICO, CANADA, AND POSSIBLY THE US. WORKERS COMMISSIONS SOURCE HAS CONFIRMED CAMACHO STILL PLANS TO MAKE NORTH AMERICAN TRIP IN NEAR OR IMMEDIATE FUTURE, STARTING WITH MEXICO, BUT HE HAD NO INFORMATION AS TO EXACT DATE CAMACHO PLANNED TO LEAVE SPAIN. CAMACHO, TO DATE, HAD MADE NO US VISA APPLICATION AT EMBASSY MADRID.
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